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Interview Summary	Application No. 10/807,273	Applicant(s) YAMAZAKI ET AL.
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All participants (applicant, applicant's representative, PTO personnel):

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Date of Interview: 28 May 2008.

Type: a) Telephonic b) Video Conference
c) Personal [copy given to: 1) applicant 2) applicant's representative]

Exhibit shown or demonstration conducted: d) Yes e) No.
If Yes, brief description: _____.

Claim(s) discussed: all claims.

Identification of prior art discussed: _____.

Agreement with respect to the claims f) was reached. g) was not reached. h) N/A.

Substance of Interview including description of the general nature of what was agreed to if an agreement was reached, or any other comments: Applicant's representative has provided a proposed amendment and also provided their argument to show the difference(s) between the new invention and the art of record (e.g. liquid crystal molecules are kept parallel with a surface of the first either driving or not driving). However, while the proposed amendment may overcome the pending rejection, an update search will be needed to define the allowable subject matter.

(A fuller description, if necessary, and a copy of the amendments which the examiner agreed would render the claims allowable, if available, must be attached. Also, where no copy of the amendments that would render the claims allowable is available, a summary thereof must be attached.)

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/Dung Nguyen/
Primary Examiner, Art Unit 2871

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